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E: WJCASEY

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US- IBRD: HREYNOLDS (SUBS)

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AMEMBASSY WELLINGTON
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C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (A D D E E J E C P A R I S O M I T T E D)

E. O. 11652: GDS

SUBJECT: CONSULTATIVE GROUPS FOR SOUTH VIETNAM AND LAOS

REFERENCE: (A) STATE 096979 (B) VIENTIANE 4273

1. BECAUSE IBRD FELT MAY 15 DIRECTORS MEETING WAS COOL TO IDEA OF INFORMAL MEETING AT AN EARLY DATE ON INDOCHINA AID (PARA 1 REF A), IBRD PLANS TAKE NO FURTHER ACTION UNTIL " SITUATION CLARIFIED." SUCH CLARIFICATION MIGHT INCLUDE REPORT OF IBRD MISSION TO SOUTH VIETNAM, AND LEVEL OF HOSTILITIES IN AREA. WE WILL ADVISE AS SITUATION DEVELOPS FURTHER.
2. FOR VIENTIANE PER REF B: WE AGREE FORMATION OF CG FOR LAOS IS PROBABLY PREMATURE. IT IS HOPED THAT INFORMAL MEETING ON AID TO ALL INDOCHINA WILL PRODUCE CONSENSUS FOR CG MEETING FOR SOUTH VIETNAM AND AGREEMENT THAT CG' S FOR LAOS AND CAMBODIA DESIRABLE BUT MUST AWAIT CLARIFICATION OF POLITICAL AND SECURITY SITUATION IN EACH COUNTRY. RE SOUVANNA' S QUESTION ON ATTENDANCE OF RLG: JAPANESE PROPOSAL WAS THAT INFORMAL MEETING WOULD BE FOR DONORS ONLY TO PERMIT FRANK DISCUSSION OF BEST WAY TO PROCEED. WE AGREE THAT PRELIMINARY INFORMAL MEETING OF DONORS ONLY WOULD BE PREFERABLE AND MORE PRODUCTIVE. ROGERS

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